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THE GAZETTE.

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THE INFIDEL AND THE PREACHER EMBRACE.

We live in an age of strange things. Surprises come day by day, and happenings of the queerest nature make up a good share of the sensational news of the day.

It has come to pass that Robert Ingersoll, the infidel, and Lyman Abbott, the preacher, stand on the same platform and in big tears of sympathy tenderly embrace each other. When Mr. Ingersoll said the other day that governments were making more criminals than they reformed, and that no state had a right to demand labor of a criminal without paying the criminal full price therefor, the Rev. Dr. Abbott became an Ingersollite on that question. He loudly seconds Mr. Ingersoll's motion to abolish the plan of making criminals earn their own living. In one of his noted paragraphs, Mr. Ingersoll said:

"There is no reformation in degradation. The men in the penitentiaries do not work for themselves. Why should the state take without compensation the labor of these men? Would it not be far better to pay them for their labor, to lay aside their earnings from day to day, so that when the convict is released he will have enough to keep the wolf of crime from the door of his heart?"

To this, Dr. Abbott, in the Christian Union, adds. "Under the contract system the labor in our prisons was a purely servile labor; the only motive impelling to it was fear, and labor is always servile that is not inspired by love or hope, or both." There is not a word of truth in these lines from the Christian Union. It is more than likely that the editor of the Christian Union never visited a prison in all his life where the men were working under contract; and if he did, it would be difficult for him or any other sickly, sentimental, professional prison reformer, to distinguish the difference between the men engaged under contract and those worked under the state account system. Men are no more under servility and fear while working under contract, than they are while laboring under any other system. They are not harshly treated. They do not work over hours. Their labor is not degrading nor oppressive in its character. The contractors do not have charge of the men. They do not in no sense "boss" them. The men are just as kindly treated, unless there is rebellion in the shops, as the men engaged in any factory in Milwaukee or Janesville.

The plan Mr. Ingersoll proposes and with which the Christian Union so heartily concurs, cannot be sustained by public sentiment or the spirit of righteousness. It would cost the state of Wisconsin one hundred thousand dollars a year to manage its prison on that plan, and with the system the commitments would rapidly increase. There would be no punishment in a prison which gave its prisoners the same advantages as free laborers have. It would be an incentive to crime. It would work demoralization and not reformation.

ARE WILLING TO COMPARE NOTES.

Inactivity is about the greatest blessing that congress can confer upon a people who have grown powerful and respected by minding their own business. A congressional deadlock is an inestimable boon and filibustering a patriotic service. Whenever the nation actually seeks legislation it comes quickly enough. The country would be just as well off, and even better, if a deadlock should last for the next three months. For it is perfectly plain that nothing but jobbery would be enacted by this congress anyway.

The democratic representatives, therefore, are perfectly justified in resisting to the bitter end the revolutionary plot which Speaker Reed and his fellow conspirators have launched. No public business will suffer by this patriotic resistance to tyrannous usurpation.

That clipping is taken from the Boston Globe, a democratic newspaper. There won't be much advantage gained by the present inactivity of congress, for it happens that this is the even year and the session will be a long one, and what time is lost now will be added later in the session.

The Globe seems to think that because this congress is republican nothing but jobbery will be enacted by it. Will the Globe, or any other democratic paper, please use the parallel columns on the republican and the democratic congresses for the past twenty years? Let some thoroughly enterprising democratic newspaper make a valuable contribution to our political history by comparing notes of the congresses under both parties. It would be a good thing for the democrats to have this "deadly parallel" ready for use in all the democratic papers by the first of next September. There will be a new congress to elect next fall, and such statement of facts nicely grouped in parallel columns would be both instructive to the public generally, and mighty interesting to a large class of voters. The republican national committee could well afford to make a valuable money contribution to the democratic editor who would undertake the compilation of such facts.

But as to the "revolutionary plot" of the speaker, why isn't it perfectly fair that the majority shall rule when the ruling is based on justice and common sense? Mr. Carlisle himself, when the democrats were in the majority, believed as Mr. Reed has ruled, and Mr. Reed on the floor of the house, when he and his party stood in the minority, condemned the nonsensical policy of not counting members present when they were actually in their seats. It is never tyrannous to be fair. It is never revolutionary to be just. It is an honor in Mr. Reed to establish a precedent of which the democrats can take advantage when they get control of the house. It is a ruling which the democrats will gladly accept when they get in power again, and the republicans are fair enough to support them in this right.

Disagreeable though the climate of England may appear to the uninitiated, yet it is apparently conducive to longevity. In addition to Mr. Gladstone, whose mental and physical vigor at an advanced old age are well known throughout the world, there are some nine or ten octogenarian members of the house of commons. In the house of lords no less than thirty of the peers are over eighty years old, Lord Cotresloe, who is the father of the house, being ninety-one, and the Earl of Albemarle, who fought as an ensign at Waterloo, is ninety years of age. On the active list of the British Navy we find the name of Admiral Sir Provo Wallis, of Shannon and Chesapeake fame, who is now about to enter upon his ninety-ninth year, while on the Bench there are no less than four judges who have passed the age of fourscore years. Perhaps one of the reasons for this astonishing longevity is to be found in the fact that, unlike the Americans who race through life, the English proceed from the Alpha to the Omega of existence at a very gentle jogtrot.

James Whitcomb Riley's trouble is said by the Cincinnati Times-Star to be caused by the vast quantities of quinine he has taken in the effort to eliminate from his system the malaria accumulated in his early years in Indiana. "Malaria," is the Indiana name for strong whisky. It is hard work for the Hoosier poet to reform. But probably he doesn't try very hard. The trouble is, he won't keep from bar-rooms, nor shun the company of certain men who drink, and not having much will-power, and very little moral force, he easily succumbs to the wiles of the devil. It is reported Mr. Nye has become so disgusted that he has abandoned reading with Mr. Riley.

It is rather funny that the democratic minority want to be counted as absent when they were actually in their seats. They wanted Speaker Reed to rule as a county judge of an adjoining county to Rock once ruled in a case of an absconding debtor. The debtor was in the room, but the judge delivered this opinion: "With my physical eye I see the man before me in this room, but with my legal eye I find that he has absconded."

The people of Iowa ought to be very happy. So long as the dead-lock continues the legislature will do no harm. But then it is a little rough on the democratic governor-elect, because he can't accept the gubernatorial chair. The democrats like Larrabee so well that they prefer him to a democratic governor and a republican organization of the house.

Congress in account with the people:

DR.

To Breaking up useless customs,
" Seating republicans rightfully elected.
" Practical tariff reform.
" Business like appropriations.
" A very short session.

CR.

By Speaker Reed's back-bone.
" Seating one republican.

It appears that whatever of good may have been accomplished by Nellie Bly's seventy-four days' trip around the world, it will be neutralized by Nellie's subsequent conduct. She proposes to take the lecture field.

Mr. Cleveland still keeps on singing the free trade song. He is one of those men who are too dull to learn from experience. He sang himself out of the presidency in 1888 by using the same song.

CURIOUS CONDENSATIONS.

The women of Milford, Me., have presented to the town a hall which they paid for themselves by giving entertainments and fairs.

A lad named Simons is the pride of Santa Cruz county, California. He is 17 years old, stands six feet three and one-half inches high, and weighs 200 pounds.

There is a queerly matched couple in Atlanta. The husband weighs 130 pounds and the wife 300 pounds. When they were married the man weighed 150 and the woman 120.

T. J. Munson, living in LaCrosse county, Wisconsin, should be credited with one of the shortest courtships on record. He went to see the sights of Black River Falls and while eating dinner at one of the restaurants was smitten with the waiter girl whom he engaged in conversation. In a few minutes they were friends, in an hour lovers, and before sundown were man and wife, he returning with his bride, having been gone from home but three days.

An almost indescribable color is that of the sealskin before it is dyed. It is silvery gray, furry brown, and two or three other things, all at the same time. But it is strikingly pretty, and in the East is so seldom seen that those girls wearing the undyed skins may feel pride at having something unusual and individual. A young Californian, who came to New York only a short time ago, received on Christmas from a friend on the Pacific coast a cape and muff of the skin in its natural color, and had great fun listening to acquaintances guessing what the animal was. By actual count, eight women and one man each made a different guess, and, strange enough, the man was the only one to name the skin the first time. But he had hunted seals in his earlier days and he ought to have known.

DEFINITIONS OF THE DAY.

Light and shade—A window.
A ready rider—The life boat.
A household word—A mortgage.
An heir-line—The birth notice.
With might and mane—The lion.
Out in the cold—A handkerchief.
The first person singular—Adam.
An utter failure—The stammerer.
No sooner said than done—Amen,
A military heir—The sun of a gun.

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ITS CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY FITLY COMMEMORATED.

A Distinguished Gathering of Eminent Jurists Presided Over by Ex-President Cleveland—The Addresses.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The exercises in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the establishment of the Supreme court of the United States were held at the Metropolitan opera house. Ex-President Cleveland presided.

The members of the Supreme court in their official robes had seats of honor on the stage. The judges of the Federal district courts, State Court of Appeals, and the Supreme, Superior, Common Pleas and other courts, and prominent representatives of the bench and bar from all parts of the country were present. The program included an introductory address by Grover Cleveland; a welcoming address by Chairman Arnoux of the New York State Bar Association; addresses on "The Origin of the United States Supreme Court," by William Allen Butler; "The Supreme Court and Constitution," by Henry Hitchcock of Missouri; "The Personal Characters of the Chief Justices," by Thomas J. Semmes of Louisiana; "The Supreme Court and Sovereignty of the People," by Edward J. Phelps of Vermont; and a response by the court through Justice Field.

Ex-President Cleveland, who presided, said: "We have assembled to commemorate an event connected with our beginning as a people which more than any other event gave safety and promise of perpetuity to the American plan of government and which was happily illustrated by the wisdom and foresight of those who designed the National structure. The elements of free government were supplied by the concessions of sovereign States, by the surrender of accustomed rights, and by the inspiration of pure, disinterested patriotism: but with all these, if that feature in the federal system which secured our judiciary had been left out, our grand political edifice would have possessed only a semblance of solidity and in its foundations there would have been the elements of infirmity and decay.

"It is plain from the facts and review of the events in our history that without the arbiter to determine rights and duties under the constitution the union of States and the life of the nation must have been precarious. Our fathers sacrificed much to be free. Though bitter experience taught them that government might trespass upon freedom they refused to take counsel of undue fear, and established as a fundamental function of government a restraint upon unauthorized freedom and a check upon dangerous liberty in the form of a supreme judicial tribunal.

"Let us ever cherish the rich possession of such a heritage."

Henry Hitchcock of St. Louis then delivered an address upon the exercise of the powers of the court since its organization. He began by referring to the suit of the State of Florida against the State of Georgia, brought in the Supreme court to determine the boundary line between them, of which Chief Justice Taney said: "A suit in a court of justice between two such parties, and upon such a question, is without example in the jurisprudence of any other country."

"This statement," said the speaker, "illustrates in part the nature, the novelty, and the dignity of the unexampled powers which that court has exercised during the period of 100 years whose auspicious close we celebrate this day. The Supreme court exists by the express mandate of the constitution, which distributes the power of government among three great departments."

Observing that the judicial power can be exercised only for the determination of a controversy brought before the court in legal form, and only of such cases as are specified in the constitution or some act of Congress pursuant thereto, the Speaker alluded to numerous important cases in which the court had declined to take jurisdiction of political questions, or those involving the exercise of legislative and execution discretion; also referring to the slaughter-house cases and other important decisions in which the court has upheld the police power of the States. Under this head the history of the court was epitomized in the words of Chief Justice Chase: "Judicial duty is not less fitly performed by declining ungranted jurisdiction than in exercising firmly that which the constitution and laws confer."

The great services of Chief Justice Marshall were described in glowing terms. Beacon lights of the nation's jurisprudence illuminating with prophetic radiance the dark waters of the distant future, those luminous judgments have shone out and still shine for us afar, marking out its course, warning it of perils on either hand—the quicksands of Legislative or executive encroachment, and the dangerous opposing reefs of uncontrolled State sovereignty, white with the breakers of anarchy and civil war.

An impressive summary was given of the exercise of the powers of the court since the civil war in expounding the constitution which established, a hundred years ago, "an indestructible union of indestructible States."

In concluding the speaker said: "The true power of the court has resided and must dwell in the sincere respect and unbought confidence of the people of the United States, conscious that with themselves still rests the destiny of their free institutions, whose safety and endurance depend upon their own reverence for the sanctions of law."

Quoting DeTocqueville's declaration fifty years ago that the Supreme court is placed at the head of all known tribunals, both by the nature of its rights and by the class of parties which it controls, Mr. Hitchcock's address closed as follows:

"Reviewing at the century's close the exercise of those powers, with what patriotic pride, with what reverent thankfulness to the supreme judge of nations may we not justly regard in either aspect of its jurisdiction, this most august of human tribunals? In the one we contemplate the vast conflicting interests of private and public concern, whose adjustment has been demanded by the unparalleled growth and development of a great people, and the still graver controversies among powerful States, such as elsewhere drain the life blood and make desolate the homes of nations, alike peacefully by those judgments pronounced by illustrious men, the records of which are more glorious than the blazonry of battle flags, since upon them are inscribed the bloodless victories of peace, nobler than all the triumphs of war. In the other the imagination pictures that impressive spectacle, the unbroken procession through all those years of the suitors who have come before its bar; suitors, not suppliants, of every class, race, and rank, the citizen, the friendless alien, and the representative of the proudest State, for whose equal protection that sublime purpose, 'to establish justice,' is declared. Such are the judicial powers in whose pure and faithful exercise is effected so far as man may fulfill the perfect ordinances of heaven, that divine and eternal law whose seat is the bosom of God, whose voice is the harmony of the world."

Mr. Hitchcock was followed by Thomas J. Semmes of Louisiana. After Mr. Semmes had concluded and Gounod's "La Colombe" had been rendered by the orchestra, Hon. Edward J. Phelps, late minister to England, delivered an able address on "The Supreme Court and the Sovereignty of the People."

Chief Justice Fuller then introduced Justice Field, who responded in behalf of the Supreme court.

Justice Field said: "In every age and with every people there have been celebrations for the triumphs in war—for battles won on land and sea—and for triumphs of peace, such as the opening of new avenues of commerce, the discovery of new fields of industry and prosperity, the construction of stately temples and monuments, or grand edifices for the arts and sciences and for the still nobler institutions of charity.

"But never until now has there been in any country a celebration like this, to commemorate the establishment of a judicial tribunal as a co-ordinate and permanent branch of its government. This celebration had its inspiration in a profound reverence for the constitution of the United States as the sure and only means of preserving the Union with its inestimable blessings, and the conviction that this tribunal has materially contributed to its just appreciation and to a ready obedience to its authority."

The justice reviewed the history of the constitution and the Supreme court, and, coming down to the present needs of that body, said:

"And now, with its history in the century past, what is needed is that the Supreme court of the United States should sustain its character and be useful in the century to come? I answer, as a matter of the first consideration, that it should not be overborne with work, and by that I mean it should have some relief from the immense burden now cast upon it. This can only be done by legislative action, and in determining what measures shall be adopted for that purpose Congress will undoubtedly receive with favor suggestions from the bar associations of the country.

"The cases which have come before the court, springing from causes which did not exist during the first quarter of the century, exceed in the magnitude of the property interests involved and in the importance of the public questions presented, all cases brought within the same period before any court of Christendom. Something must be done to prevent delays. To delay justice is as pernicious as to deny it. One of the most precious articles of the magna charta was that in which the King declared that he would not deny nor delay to any man justice or right. And, assuredly, what the barons of England wrung from their monarch the people of the United States will not refuse to any suitor for justice in their tribunals."

After Mr. Justice Field's address there was more music and then Rev. Talbot W. Chambers pronounced the benediction and ended the literary exercises.

The banquet took place at night at Lenox Hall. There were 850 guests. The decorations were admirably arranged. Evergreens and tropical plants were everywhere in profusion. Fifteen tables were ranged in rows. On the right of Chairman Carter sat Chief Justice Fuller, and ex-President Cleveland, chairman of the executive committee, came next to him. Following is a list of the toasts and those who responded to them:

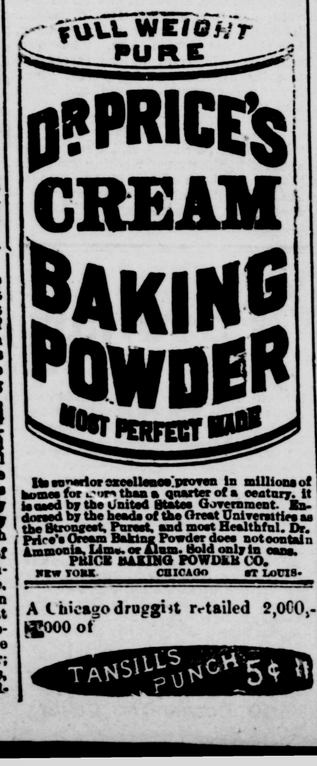
"The President," "The Supreme Court," Mr. Justice Harlan; "The Congress," Wiliam Evarts, of New York; "The Judiciary of the States," Edward M. Paxton, of Pennsylvania,; "The Common Law," Walter B. Hill of Georgia; "The Bar," Wayne MacVeagh, of Pennsylvania; "The Clergy," Rev. Dr. William R. Huntington; "The University," President Seth Low, of Columbia college; "Our Clients," Chauncey M. Depew.

A RIOT PROBABLE.

Striking Finn Miners on the War-Path Near Palmer, Mich.

ISHPEMING, Mich., Feb. 5.—Fifty Finlanders employed as laborers at the Volunteer mine, receiving $1.65 a day, have struck for $2 a day. Sheriff Adams and several deputies went to Palmer. Next day the Finns turned out heavily armed, and prevented other miners and laborers from going to work. Sheriff Adams and five deputies, armed with Winchesters, were on the spot and commanded the Finns to disperse. Desiring to avoid bloodshed if possible, the sheriff refrained from bringing affairs to a crisis, and sent for additional help to Ishpeming and Negaunee, hoping that a sufficient display of force would convince the strikers that they could have no hope of carrying their point by force and avert serious trouble.

The sheriff and posse are camped in the main street of Palmer. Reinforcements have been sent for and are expected to-day. The Finns, fully 150 strong and heavily armed, are camped within fifty paces of the sheriff's posse. The strikers have begun drinking and are growing very unruly, and an outbreak may occur at any time. It is rumored that the Finns are also expecting reinforcements. If this be true it will be almost impossible to quell the disturbance without bloodshed.



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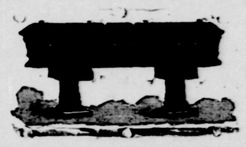
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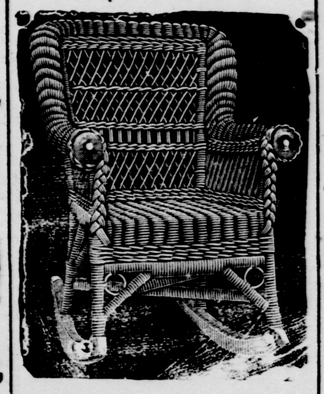
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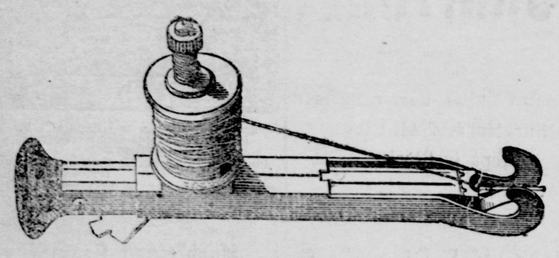
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MR. TRACY IMPROVING.

THE SECRETARY RALLIES FROM HIS INJURIES.

The Arrival of His Son a Source of Consolation to Him—General Washington News.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Secretary Tracy continues to improve slowly. Many prominent people called at the house during the morning and were informed that the Secretary was getting along well.

His son, Mr. Frank B. Tracy, is now with him. He is the first member of his family the Secretary has seen since the awful calamity and his presence was an unmistakable source of joy and hope to the bereaved man.

The President sent over early in the morning to inquire after the Secretary, and Private Secretary Halford called in person about 10 o'clock to consult with regard to Mr. Tracy's removal to the White House.

The physicians attending Mrs. and Miss Wilmerding said that their patients passed quite a fair night and are better. Mrs. Wilmerding suffered a great deal from bruises and at times was hysterical, as she began to realize the extent of her terrible losses. At 10 o'clock the doctors succeeding in quieting her nerves, and she then fell into a quiet slumber. She is necessarily much exhausted, and suffers more from nervous shock than from her arm, but the doctors say that with absolute rest she will rally. Miss Wilmerding is decidedly better having passed a restful night.

Secretary Tracy has displayed wonderful recuperative powers, and about 11 o'clock he surprised his physicians by getting out of bed and dressing himself. He showed such strength that he was allowed to descend to the library and to remain there during a portion of the day. He was not able, of course, to do anything without assistance, but showed more strength than he was supposed to possess. During the morning he was visited by the President and Secretary Noble. The former remained with him from 11 to 1 p. m. General Catlin and Mrs. Stranahan were also with the Secretary for some time during the forepoon, and it was after a conference with those mentioned that the funeral arrangements were determined upon.

Funeral services will be held over the remains of Mrs. Tracy and Miss Tracy in the east room of the White House Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Douglass, rector of St. John's Protestant Episcopal church, will conduct the religious services. The bodies will be temporarily deposited in the receiving vault at Rock Creek cemetery until their final disposition is determined upon.

The pall-bearers for Mrs. Tracy were as follows: Secretary Windom, Secretary Proctor, Attorney-General Miller, Postmaster-General Wanamaker, Secretary Noble, Secretary Rusk, Admiral Porter and Rear Admiral Rogers.

The pall-bearers for Miss Tracy were eight naval officers. The Schubert quartet were present and assisted in the services.

Building Inspector Entwistle, who has been investigating the origin of the fire, has come to the conclusion that gas probably escaped in the basement, and, penetrating the floor to the room above, was ignited by the live coals remaining in the grate.

Resolutions of Sympathy.

The following cablegram was received to-day by the British minister and at once forwarded to Secretary Tracy:

"OSBORN, Feb. 5.—To the British Minister: The Queen deeply deplores the calamity to Mr. Tracy's family and inquires after him and his survivors.

"PONSONBY."

Secretary Tracy responded as follows:

"Mr. Tracy begs the British minister to convey to Her Majesty his sincere thanks for her gracious message of sympathy and in reply to her kind inquiry to say that his surviving daughter and grandchild are out of danger."

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 5.—The State Legislature has adopted resolutions of sympathy for Secretaries Blaine and Tracy in their bereavement.

CONGRESSIONAL.

More Dilatory Motions by Democrats in the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The House spent the morning in the usual demand from the Democratic side for a full reading of the journal and its approval on the yea and nay vote, motions for appointments, etc.

The Senate bill to relieve the Treasurer of the United States from the amount now charged to him and deposited in the several States was referred by the Speaker to the committee on ways and means, when Mr. Bland moved that it be referred to the committee upon appropriations, whereupon some discussion ensued. The yeas and nays were then called for by Mr. Bland, the result showing but 9 yeas to 151 nays.

Mr. Fowler then moved that the bill be referred to the judiciary committee; defeated by a vote of 94 yeas to 175 nays.

Mr. McKinley moved a reference to the ways and means committee and called for the previous question. Mr. McCreary at the same time moved to adjourn, but the chair declined to entertain the motion.

The chair then declared the question to be on the motion of Mr. McKinley for the previous question, on which the Democrats called for the yea and nay vote, resulting in 157 yeas and no nays. The chair naming about 65 Democrats present but not voting, declared the previous question ordered and that the question was on the motion to refer to the ways and means committee, which being put was carried by a viva voce vote, not a single Democrat voting against it.

The House then, at 4:15, on motion of Mr. McKinley, adjourned, the Democrats as well as Republicans joining in the vote.

The Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Several petitions praying for the passage of a per diem pension bill were presented in the Senate. Among the bills introduced was one by Mr. Morrill to prevent the extermination of fur-bearing animals in Alaska, and also one by Senator Wolcott allowing New Mexico to frame a constitution and be admitted into the Union.

After the introduction of a large number of private relief bills the Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business.

The Senate in executive session debated at some length the Samoan treaty and finally ratified it with only nine dissenting votes.

CONFIRMED BY THE SENATE.

Several Nominations of the President Approved.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The Senate in secret session has confirmed the following nominations:

Solicitor general—William. H. Taft, of Ohio.

Minister resident and consul general to Corea—Augustin Heard, of Massachusetts.

Surveyor general of Utah—Elsworth Daggett.

Registers of land office—Horace R. Mann, register at Buffalo, Wy. T.; M. M. Rose, of Ohio, principal clerk of surveys in the general land office.

District attorneys—F. P. Mays, district of Oregon; L. E. Parsons, Jr., Northern and Middle districts of Alabama.

United States Marshals—Frank Hitchcock, for the Northern District of Illinois; J. P. Tracy, for the Western District of Missouri; J. R. Simmons, for the Southern District of Ohio; J. Vigneaux, Consuls—E. O. Fetchet, of Michigan, at Piedras Negras; Thomas S. McDermott, of Tennessee, at St. Thomas, West Indies; G. W. Pepper, of Ohio, at Mjlan.

Collector of Customs—J. M. Clark, Chicago; J. R. Berry, San Diego, Cal.; W. H. Saxton, New London, Conn.

Assistant Appraisers of Merchandise—L. A. Dodge, Boston; D. C. Clarke, Philadelphia.

THE COLORED CONVENTION.

A Row Over the Election of President.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The colored men's convention got into a wrangle over the election of officers. Bishop Wayland had been declared elected permanent president, but an official count of the vote showed that ex-Senator Pinchback had secured the honor. The latter attempted to preside, but Wayland's followers protested. The matter was referred to the committee on permanent organization, and they reported the following officers: President, Rev. J. C. Price, of North Carolina; vice president, William H. Dupre, of Massachusetts; secretaries, R. A. Dawson, of New Jersey, and W. Calvin Chase, of Washington; assistant secretaries, William Lively and Miss Mattie Jackson of Ohio.

SUPERVISORS OF THE CENSUS.

Confirmation of a Batch of Appointees to These Places.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The following have been confirmed as supervisors of the census:

Illinois—C. C. Jones, Second district.

Michigan—H. C. Tilman, First district; C. H. Wisner, Second; J. N. McBride, Third; D. C. Henderson, Fourth; James Watson, Fifth; G. A. Nowell, Sixth.

Minnesota—H. J. Miller, First district; E. J. Davenport, Second; W. H. John, Third; E. E. Adams, Fourth.

Favoring a Seacoast Reserve.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The House committee on military affairs is giving earnest consideration to the bill to establish and define the United States seacoast reserve. The bill provides that the reserve shall consist of parts of the militia of the several States bordering on the coasts of the United States. Their term of duty is not to exceed thirty days for each year. Favorable reports on the bill have been received from the Secretary of War, Major-General Schofield, and Major-General Howard.

A Court of Patent Appeals.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.— The bill to create a court of patent appeals was discussed by the House judiciary committee and several amendments were made. Mr. Culbertson, the author of the bill, was directed to report it to the House as amended and recommend its passage. The bill provides for five judges at a salary of $7,500 each. The court is to be a court of final appeal and is designed to relieve the United States Supreme Court of the patent cases that under the present law are appealed to it.

Received Big Pension Money.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The resignation of Hiram Smith, Jr., the first deputy commissioner of pensions, one of the pension office employes whose pension was re-rated under Corporal Tanner, has been accepted, to take effect May 5. Mr. Smith's pension was increased last spring from $36 to $72 per month and he received over $6,000 as arrears. This change is in pursuance of the policy of removing all the re-rated employes of the pension office.

The New Rules to Be Reported Soon.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Members of the House committee on rules say that the committee will report in a day or two. Mr. Carlisle says the Democrats have made a few but no material concessions. He declined to state what the concessions are.

Postal Clerks Call on Mr. Wanamaker.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The delegates to the convention of postoffice clerks in a body called on Postmaster-General Wanamaker. In the convention questions of increased compensation and the enforcement of the eight-hour law were discussed.

Ballot-Box Investigation.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—In the Ohio ballot-box investigation Gov. Campbell was again on hand and sharply cross-questioned ex-Gov. Foraker, but without developing any new points.

SMALL-POX AT ANNA, ILL.

Four Cases and One Death Reported—Many People Exposed.

ANNA, Ill., Feb. 5.—Small-pox of a malignant type has broken out in this city. Four of the Ford family were attacked and one of the children died today. At first it was believed the disease was chicken-pox, and many of the neighbors exposed themselves by attending the sick people. Tramps are supposed to have brought the plague to this city. The board of health has promptly taken the matter in hand. The infected locality has been quarantined. The State board of health has been notified, and preparations have been made for a vigorous fight to prevent the spread of the disease. There is considerable excitement about it, and the Superintendent of the Illinois Southern Hospital for the Insane has decided to quarantine that institution against the city.

A Haunted House.

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Riches of New Zealand.

It is not hard to see the cause of the evils that have befallen New Zealand, one result of which was that 15,048 residents said good-by to the fair island in 1888. New Zealand has been building for the future, borrowing immense sums of money and spending them for public improvements. As long as this went on there was plenty of work, and trade was brisk, but when the government decided it was time to go slow it was found that the towns and cities had developed far too rapidly for the country back of them. The result was stagnation and a big tumble in real estate everywhere. For all that New Zealand is naturally the richest and fairest of Great Britain's colonies, and no one can doubt there is a bright future before her. At present, however, her towns are too large, and what she needs is people to occupy her farming lands and capital to develop her mines.

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SERIOUS TRAIN WRECK.

A CABOOSE RUN INTO BY A FREIGHT.

Five Drovers Injured—The Peoria Disaster—Terrible Accident in Oregon—The Casualty Record.

KANKAKEE, Ill., Feb. 5.—Five persons were badly injured, three of them possibly fatally, by a wreck near Peotone, on the Illinois Central, at 2 o'clock this morning. The fruit express crashed into the caboose of a wild train. The latter had been made up at Kankakee of stock and merchandise, and left for Chicago at 1:10 o'clock. The fruit express followed five minutes later. The morning was foggy, and when a mile this side of Peotone the engineer of the wild train reduced his rate of speed and the fruit train, being so close behind, struck the caboose, overturning the stove, which set fire to the car. The caboose and one car of merchandise were destroyed. Five drovers on the car were badly injured, their names being:

HIRAM GOODWIN of Kankakee, both legs broken below the knees and injured internally; condition very critical.

AL KESSON of Sheldon, Ill., leg broken and lower limbs paralyzed.

Mr. CHRISTENS of Sheldon, injured internally.

Mr. ISLEY of Gilman, Ill, injured internally.

A drover from Sheldon was also badly injured.

The fruit express was running ahead of time.

STILL UNDER THE ENGINE.

The Bodies of the Three Men Killed at Peoria Not Yet Extricated.

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 5.—The work of clearing away the terrible wreck at the bridge has continued since 7 o'clock Monday night, but with little success. The bodies of Engineer Neville, Fireman O'Brien, and Brakeman Lewis are still under the debris. The engineer's head is visible and the workmen are using every effort to free his body. The body of Brakeman Lewis lies right under the engineer, but only his hand can be pulled above the water. No trace can be found of Fireman O'Brien's body. It is thought that he felt the bridge sinking and tried to jump, and that before he could get away the entire mass came down upon him. It is expected his remains are under the engine.

Friends of the dead men are wild with grief. They can do nothing but sit on the river bank and look at the black mass under which the bodies are buried. Two hundred picked men are at work.

The cause assigned for the accident is the slipping of the iron stringers which rested on the abutments. About one hundred trains passed over the bridge daily and the jar was always considerable. All trains are going over the other bridge and around by the way of Lake Erie Junction.

THIRTEEN RAILROAD MEN KILLED.

Ten Laborers Perish and Sixteen are Injured in an Oregon Crash.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Owing to heavy rains and washouts west of The Dalles in Oregon and also in Williamette Valley there has been no telegraphic communication with Porland or with points on Puget Sound since yesterday morning. A telegram received in this city from The Dalles states that a construction train, carrying a gang of laborers to work on the track went through a bridge sixty-eight feet high on Sunday. The engine passed over safely, but the tender fell on the caboose and killed ten men and injured sixteen. Conductor French had his leg and skull broken, Engineer George was badly hurt and Brakeman Seely also injured. The bridge was rendered unsafe by the late heavy rains.

A Flood Feared at Atchison, Kas.

ATCHISON, Kas., Feb. 5.—Heavy ice has formed above the city in a narrow place in the river, and almost the entire volume of water backed up so that it was forced through the government works constructed on the Missouri as a protection to the city. The current is rapidly cutting this away and is making rapid progress toward the west end of the bridges. Unless the ice dam breaks, the government works, costing $150,000, the railway bridge, and other valuable property will be destroyed.

Crushed Through His Skull.

KINGSTON, Ont., Feb. 5. — Dennis Mooney met with a horrible accident at the Sydenham mines to-day. He was at the bottom of the shaft, when a steel bar, eleven inches long, fell from a bucket 150 feet above and crashed through his skull with sufficient force to drive its tip out through his mouth. Mooney lies in an unconscious state and will undoubtedly die.

Horrible End of a Christening.

SCRANTON, Pa., Feb. 5.—While a number of Polanders were celebrating a christening last night by a drunken carousal at Marshwood, a mining village five miles from this city, a lamp was overturned. A man and a woman were burned to death and ten dwellings were destroyed, entailing a loss of $8,000.

BARRY BARRED OUT.

The Labor Leader Excluded from the Michigan Federation Convention.

EAST SAGINAW, Mich., Feb. 5.—Tom Barry, who has achieved some notoriety by attacking the Knights of Labor and starting a workingmen's society of his own, has been barred out of the convention of the Michigan Federation here. He demanded admission as one of the representatives of his own branches, and handed in his credentials. No sooner had the convention effected temporary organization than the Barry matter came to the front. The moment the committee on credentials had been named, McPhillips of the Jackson Typographical union, objected. He held that as Barry is antagonizing the knights it would not be advisable to give him a voice in the convention. The credentials went to the committee, however, and an adverse vote was the result. Hot discussion followed, Barry requested a hearing, but this was denied him. The representatives of several unions threatened to withdraw if he were admitted. Finally the matter came to a vote and Barry was excluded.

"Boodle" at Elgin.

ELGIN, Ill., Feb. 5.—Ald. Fred Quinn asserted at the council meeting last night that he had been offered $100 to vote for the Elgin City railway company's ordinance. An investigation of the alleged attempt to bribe will be made.

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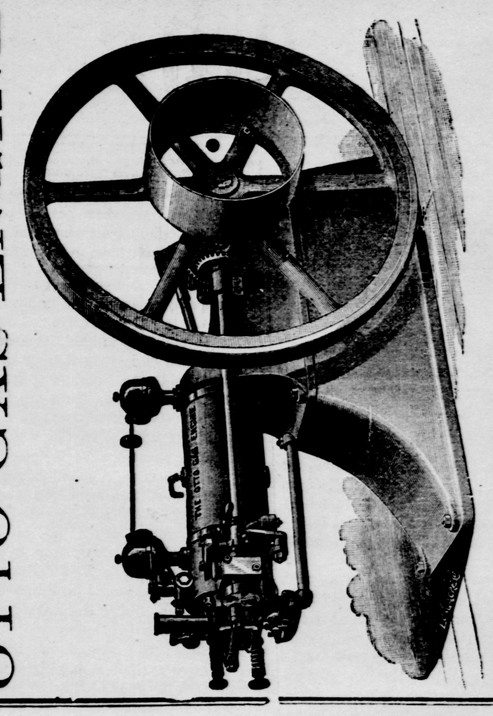
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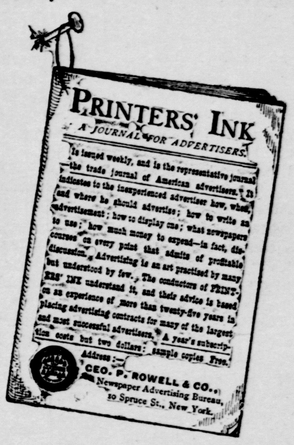
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For Chicago	7:00 A M
For Chicago	12:30 P M
For Beloit and Caledonia	8:2. A M
For Beloit and Rockford	7:20 P M
For Chicago, Beloit and Rockford*	2:30 P M
For Watertown, Oshkosh and Green Bay	1:20 P M
For Milwaukee and Waukesha	1:30 P M
For Watertown, Oshkosh and Green Bay	8:25 P M
For Madison and St Paul (new line)	8:45 P M
For Evansville, Madison and St. Paul and Winona (new line)*	2:00 A M
For Madison, Winona & Dakota points	1:20 P M
For Chicago, Clinton and Sharon (dining car) breakfast*	6:15 A M
For Beloit, Belvidere, DeKalb, Omaha, Rockford and Freeport	11:59 A M
For Beloit	8:40 A M
For Watertown, Fond du Lac and points north	6:15 A M

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From Beloit and Rockford	8:40 A M
From Beloit and Caledonia	9:40 P M
From Chicago*	8:40 P M
From Green Bay, Oshkosh and Watertown	11:58 A M
From Green Bay, Oshkosh and Watertown	6:05 A M
From Chicago	8:35 P M
From Madison and Winona	3:15 P M
From Madison and St Paul*	6 15 A M
From Madison, Evansville and St. Paul and Winona(new line)*	8:25 A M
From Beloit and Chicago	1.15 P M
From Chicago, Sharon and Clinton	2:00 A M
From Beloit, Rockford, Belvidere and DeKalb	7:20 P M
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For Milwaukee, Connects at Milwaukee for Chicago	4:40 P M
For Milwaukee and Chicago	9:45 A M / 12:05 P M
For Madison and Portage	9:20 A M
For Madison Prairie du Chien and West	4:45 P M
For Chicago Beloit, Rockford and Rock Island	9:40 A M
For Council Bluffs, and also for Racine and points east of Beloit	1:08 P M
For Beloit and Rockford	5:50 P M
For Monroe, Mineral Point, Platteville and Shullsburg	9:30 A M
For Platteville and Shullsburg(mail)	5:30 P M
For Monroe and Mineral Point (freight and passenger)	8:00 A M
For Beloit—mixed	9:10 P M

TRAINS ARRIVE.

From Milwaukee	9:20 A M
From Milwaukee and Chicago	5 30 P M / 8:40 P M
From St Paul, Madison and Portage	9:25 A M / 1:08 P M
From Chicago, Rockford and Beloit	3.00 P M
From Rock Island, St. Louis & West	9:20 A M
From Chicago, Council Bluffs and South west	5:10 P M
From Platteville, Mineral Point, Darlington and Monroe	9:25 A M
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DIARY OF A PLANET.

ROSENBAUM BROS., extensive grain dealers at Hastings, Neb., have failed.

THE window-glass manufacturers of the West have agreed to advance prices 10 per cent.

A. J. EWART & Co,, lumber dealers at Topeka. Kas., have assigned, with liabilities of $50,000.

IT is believed that the New York locomotive works at Rome. N Y., will be moved to East St. Louis.

GEN. GEORGE W. WINGATE, of New York, has been chosen president of the National Rifle association.

NORTH DAKOTA clergymen protest against the proposed establishment of a State lottery to fill the empty treasury.

THE Baptist Book Concern, which has aims similar to the Methodist institution of like name, has been organized at Louisville. Its capital is $100,000.

HON. W. A. BLAIR, representative in the Legislature from Adams county, Ohio, is dying from influenza. This makes four deaths in the Legislature since Jan. 1 from influenza.

WHYBREW & PETERSON, the leading grocery firm of Gladstone, Mich., have made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors. Hard times to make collections is the cause.

AT Philadelphia it is announced that Joseph P. Murphy, the owner of extensive woolen-mills, and H. & J. Hamill, yarn manufacturers, had assigned. Murphy's liabilities will reach $500,000.

THOMAS WARNOCK, secretary and auditor of the New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio railroad company, died suddenly at Cleveland. He has served the company as secretary and auditor through all its changes since 1873.

Sundry Mishaps.

ROBERT FAKES was run over and killed by an engine between Harrison and Murphysboro, Ill.

THE stove works of Abraham Cox, at Lunsdall, Pa., have been destroyed by fire. Loss, $80,000.

Five men were badly scaled and bruised by the explosion of the boiler in the Edison Electric Light building at Philadelphia.

THE government reduction-works near Vancouver, B. C., have been completely destroyed by fire, with a loss of $25,000.

THE Commercial hotel, a drug store, and one other small building have been burned at Alexandria, Mo., causing a loss of $10,000.

BY an explosion at the Duquesne steel works at Pittsburg Frank Bolton, night superintendent, and a laborer were probably fatally injured, and several others badly burned.

Criminal Notes.

ALLEGED despondency caused August Balback of Chenoa, Ill., to commit suicide.

GEORGE LOWE of Griswold, Iowa, shot and killed John Farmer, a negro, during a saloon brawl.

AT Bellefonte, Pa., Alfred Andrews has been convicted of the murder of Clara Price at Karthaus, Pa., November last.

GEORGE TAFT, alias F. P. Zollman, alias Thomas Marr, is in jail at Rochester, N. Y., for defrauding Masonic lodges.

P. L. DUDLEY, general manager of the Cincinnati & Northern railroad, has been suspended from duty. He is short in his accounts.

THEODORE HAYMAN, superintendent of the crematory at Cincinnati, is charged with stealing and selling the coffins of those taken there for cremation.

JOHN E. HOLCOMB, who claims to be the postmaster of Malden, Ky., was arrested in Jersey City, N. J., for attempting to shoot a "green goods" swindler who had defrauded him.

Now It Is a Starch Trust.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 5.—The leading starch manufacturers of the country recently met in this city and although the object of their conference was to be kept secret it has leaked out that the meeting was for the purpose of forming a starch trust.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, Feb. 4 — GRAINS—Stronger WHEAT—Active and higher, closing at an advance of ⅛@¼c. No. 2 regular February 75⅛c, closing at 75⅛c, May 78⅛@79⅛c, closing at 79c; July 76⅞@77⅛c, closing at 77⅛c. CORN—Easier early, closing firm and higher No. 2 February 28⅛@28⅜c, May 31⅛@31⅜c; July 31⅞@32⅛c. OATS—Steady; unchanged No. 2 February 21c; May 22⅜@22⅝c.

PROVISIONS—Dull and firm. PORK—February $9.85, March $9.95@10.50; May $10.15@10.22½. LARD —February $5.82½; March $5.87½@5.90; May $6.02½@6.05. RIBS—February $4.82½@4.75; March $4.80@4.85; May $4.95@5.50.

LIVE STOCK—Receipts of cattle 9,000; slow at about the same prices as yesterday. Receipts of hogs 20,000; in good demand and 5 cents higher, Packers paid $3.90 to $4.00 largely $3.95, and shippers $3.96 to $4.05 Light sorts $3.85 to $3.95. Receipts of sheep scarcely sufficient to make a market, and business ruled quiet, with prices undergoing little or no change.

New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4. — WHEAT—Depressed 3-8c lower, freely offered and quiet; February 84⅞c, March 85⅛c, April 86⅛c, June 86 9-16c, July 84⅛@84⅜c, August 83 13-15@83 15-16c, September 84⅛c, December 86⅛@86 13-16c. RYE—Firm; Western 57@60c. BARLEY—Firm; Western, 48@63c. CORN —Dull and ⅛c lower; Mixed Western, 26@39⅛c OATS—Dull and steady; Western 27⅛@35c PROVISIONS — BEEF -- Steady; Plate $7.75@8.00; Extra Mess, $7@7.25 PORK—Firm and quiet; New Mess $10.50@11.25; Old Mess, $10@10.50; Extra Prime $9.50@10.00 LARD — Firm and quiet, steam-rendered, $6.20.

Wall Street.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—A feverish and irregular tone, accompanied by considerable animation marked the dealings in the stock market this morning. The opening prices as a rule, were from ⅛ to ⅜ per cent lower than last night's prices, and moved up during the first few minutes. At 11 o'clock the market was quiet and steady to firm, but generally at small fractions below first prices. At noon the market was dull and firm, generally at insignificant changes from opening prices.

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Foreign.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 4.—PORK — Demand fair; Prime Mess Eastern 54s 6d, steady; Prime Mess Western 45s, steady. LARD—Is in poor demand; spot 32s, steady; February 32s, steady; March and April 32s 3d, steady. WHEAT—Demand poor; New No. 2 Winter, 6s 11d. steady; New No. 1 Spring 7s 3½d. steady. FLOUR — Demand poor for spot and demand fair for futures; spot 3s 10½d, steady; February 3s 10½d steady; March 3s 9½d, steady, April 3s 9½d steady.

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THE WORLD OF SPORT.

THE COMING VISIT OF SAMPSON AND SANDOW.

The Two Famous Old-World Athletes to Contest With the Muscle of This Country—"Parson" Davies Talks About His Trip With Jackson—Sporting Gossip.



THE PAST FEW months the London public, or at least that portion of it interested in athletics, have been interested in the feats of strength performed by two specimens of Herculean strength who are soon to visit this country. These men are Sampson and Sandow, and some highly amusing stories are told of their contests. Sampson, who is not the Herculean person in appearance that his feats would seem to imply, is a native of Metz, the son of a French mother and a Spanish father. He speaks seven languages, plays sonatas on the piano with the delicate touch of a girl, and has a biceps measuring fourteen and one-half inches in repose, and nineteen and one-half inches when he wrestles with an iron rod or a wire rope. His chest measurement is forty-four inches, but when he inflates his lungs he adds several inches to this figure. Sampson visited the United States several years ago, being then comparatively unknown.

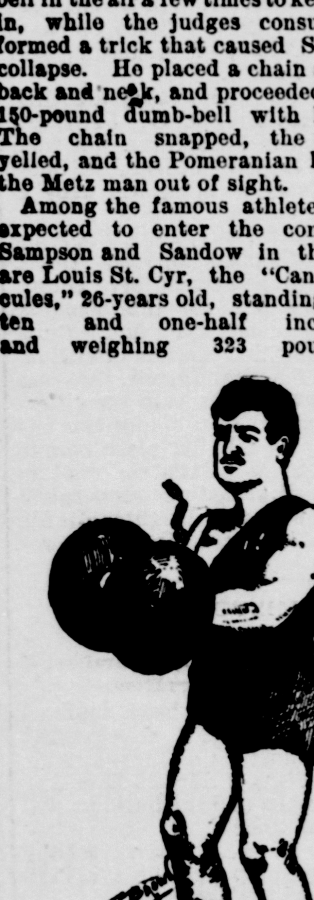
Sandow is a Pomeranian, and was born at Konigsberg twenty-two years ago. For four years he has been trained by Prof. Attila, one of the best known athletic teachers in Germany. His development is superior to that of Sampson, his chest measurement being forty-five and one-half inches and his biceps and forearm each from one to one and one-half inches larger than those of his rival. He weighs 202 pounds when in condition Sandow performed in London before the leading sporting men of England, eclipsing Sampson's most difficult feats, breaking chain bracelets and wire ropes with his forearms, and bending heavy iron rods by striking them across his chest, his arms, and his thighs. The bracelet chains, which had a resistance of 2,500 pounds, were snapped like pipe-stems. Among those who witnessed these extraordinary trials of strength were the



SAMPSON BENDING THE IRON BAR.

Marquis of Queensberry, Lord de Clifford, and Capt. Molesworth, who acted as judges. As the Pomeranian snapped length after length of the steel chain bracelets with his biceps, and burst the wire ropes with his pectoral muscles, men rose in the audience and waved bank notes of big denominations as an invitation to Sampson to beat the white-skinned Sandow if he could; but the former sulked and declined. Sandow then, after lightly tossing a 150-pound dumb-bell in the air a few times to keep his hand in, while the judges consulted, performed a trick that caused Sampson to collapse. He placed a chain around his back and neck, and proceeded to lift the 150-pound dumb-bell with his hands. The chain snapped, the Britishers yelled, and the Pomeranian had beaten the Metz man out of sight.

Among the famous athletes who are expected to enter the contests with Sampson and Sandow in this country are Louis St. Cyr, the "Canadian Hercules," 26-years old, standing five feet ten and one-half inches tall, and weighing 323 pounds, and

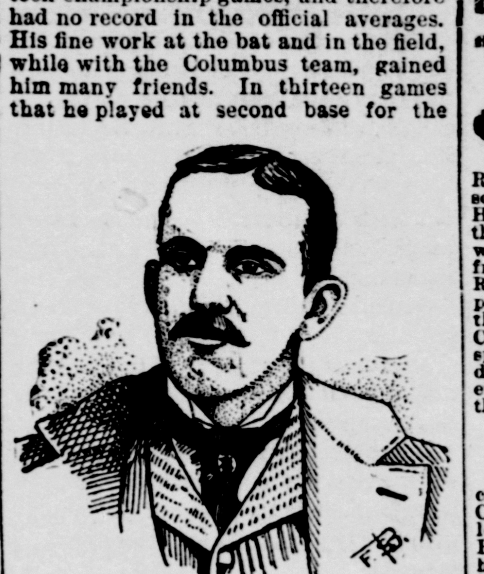


SANDOW'S GREATEST FEAT.

Dennis Gallagher, a muscular athlete who formerly resided in Buffalo, N. Y. Other notably strong men of America are William B. Curtis, the sporting editor of the Spirit of the Times, a famous amateur athlete who has lifted with the harness 1,250 pounds in New York city; David L. Dowd of Springfield, who has lifted 1,442¼ pounds with hands alone, and H. Leussing of Cincinnati, who has a record of lifting 1,364 pounds; G. W. Winship of Boston, 1,200 pounds; Ambrose A. Butts of Auburn, Ohio, 2,737¾ pounds; Dr. John Lucas of Belleville, Ill., 2,700 pounds, and C. O. Breed of Lynn, Mass., a barrel of flour weighing 226 pounds, with his hands alone. All of these men compare favorably with the foreign champions. A carpenter named Stearns of Granite Corners, N. Y., aged 80 years, shouldered a 4,000-pound cannon.

An Expert Baseman.

We give below the portrait of Charles Crooks, the expert second baseman of the Columbus club, who was born Nov. 9, 1866, in St. Paul, Minn. He learned to play ball while attending college at Racine, Wis. His first professional engagement was in 1886, with the Minneapolis team, he then leading the third basemen in the official averages of the Northwestern league. In 1887 he played second base for the St. Paul club, and ranked sixth in the batting averages of the Northwestern league that season. Crooks began the season of 1888 as the third baseman of the St. Louis Whites, of the Western association, and after their disbandment he guarded second base for the Omaha club, of the same organization. He continued with the Omahas in 1889, when he played ninety-seven championship games, and was credited with sixteen home runs, twelve triple baggers, and fifteen double baggers. At the season's close his release was bought by the Columbus club, and, while with the latter club, he took part in only thirteen championship games, and therefore had no record in the official averages. His fine work at the bat and in the field, while with the Columbus team, gained him many friends. In thirteen games that he played at second base for the



CHARLES CROOKS.

Columbus club, he had seventy-one chances, and accepted all except one. In a game of fifteen innings, played May 17, 1887, at Oshkosh, between the home team and the St. Paul club, Crooks accepted all of nineteen chances offered him while playing second base. While playing with the Omaha team in a championship game against the St. Paul club June 8, 1889, Crooks made five successive safe hits, including four home runs and a single, or a total of seventeen bases. Crooks accompanied the St. Louis Browns on their recent trip to California, and he has been doing much of the catching, with great credit to himself. As a batter, Crooks ranks very high, he also being a very clever second basemen, and daring base runner.

"Parson" Davies' Return.

The return of "Parson" Davies, manager of Peter Jackson, from his foreign tour, revives pugilistic gossip, especially in regard to a probable match between the Australian wonder and Sullivan. Talking of his trip in Europe the "Parson" said that he was much pleased with the way Jackson had been treated abroad. Everything was done in right royal style and he hoped to soon revisit England. In speaking of the "go" with Jem Smith, he said the trouble about the gloves had not been explained correctly. The difficulty was that the gloves furnished Jackson were too small in the fingers, and when he closed his hands they almost split them. Consequently Jackson could not fight with them. The matter was explained to the officers of the Pelican club and the defect was remedied by them procuring other gloves which fitted Jackson. Fair play was had, and the audience, which included men like Lords Mandeville and Lonsdale, were loud in their admiration of the skill displayed by Jackson. Mandeville, whom the "Parson" described as a good fellow generally, said that he had seen Jackson box with Cardiff and was convinced that the former was all that the reports made him.

During the trip Jackson sparred on an average of three times a night, and his action, taking into consideration his superiority over his adversaries, in not knocking them out met with favor. Jackson was sick six days and had hemorrhages, but Mr. Davies believes he is now fully recovered and is in the pink of condition

Concerning the offer of the California club for a fight between Sullivan and Jackson for $15,000, the winner to take all, Davies said that Jackson, when shown the offer as cabled, replied that he was willing to fight for that sum or more so long as the California club was satisfied. "I am sorry about John L.'s Mississippi trouble, and hope he will get out O. K.," said the "Parson." The ovation tendered Jackson at Belfast surprised him. The people came out in force and packed the hall. The colored man was the talk of the town.

During the trip some $22,000 was taken in, and as about $1,500 was needed from this for expenses, he thought the trip netted handsomely. On the whole the "Parson" expressed himself as pleased with his protege, and said that he was one of the easiest men to handle he had ever met.

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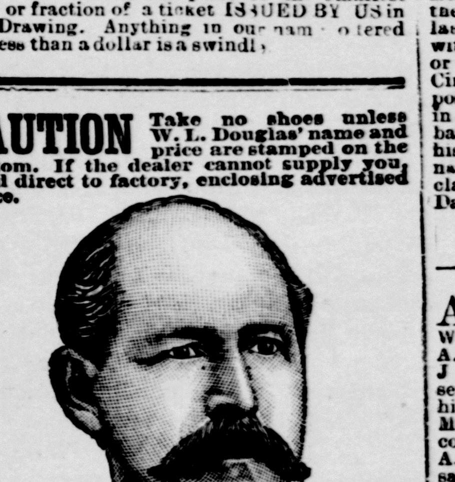
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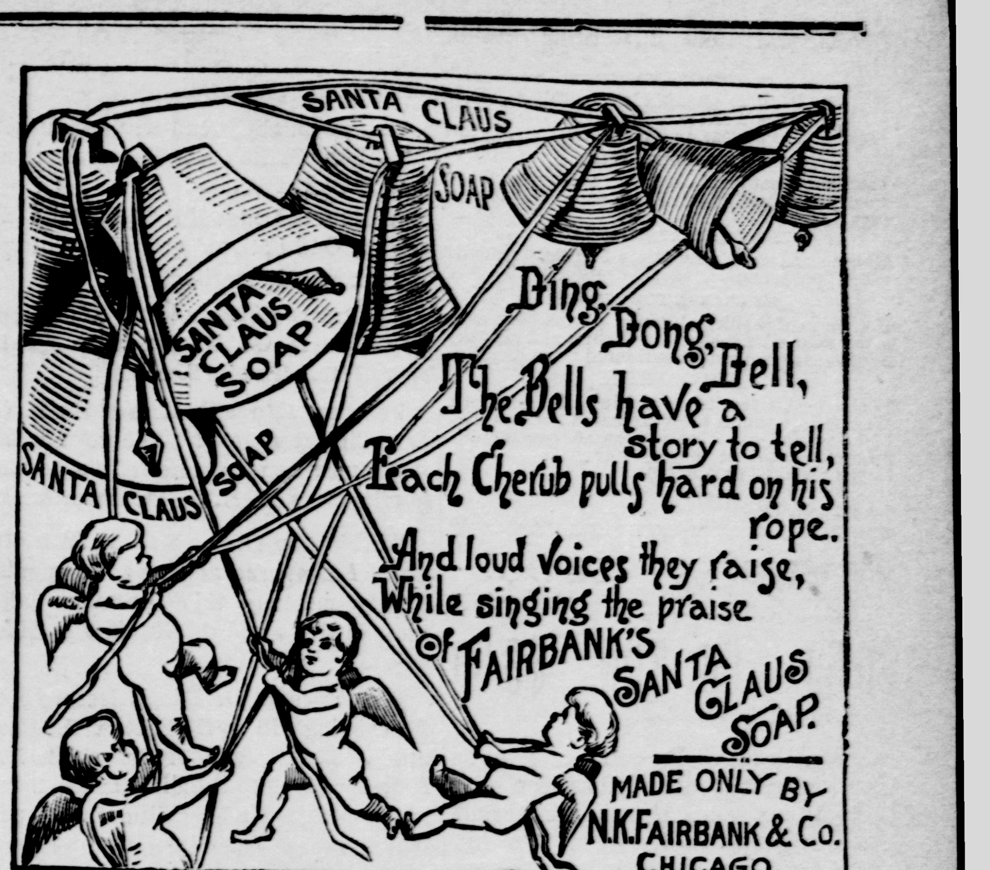
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FORECLOSURE SALE—STATE OF WISCONSIN, Circuit Court for Rock County.— Levi Leonard vs. James R. West and Flora C. West.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue and in pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale made and entered in the above entitled action on the thirteenth (13th) day of December, A. D , 1888, in favor of the above named plaintiff and against the above named defendants, I will on Saturday, the first day of February, A. D . 1890, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county of Rock, and state of Wisconsin, offer for sale and sell at public auction, to the highest bidder therefor, all the real estate and mortgaged premises situate, lying and being in the village of Evansville, Rock county, Wisconsin, and known and distinguished as lot number two (2) in block number seventeen (17) in said village, according to the recorded plat thereof, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to pay said judgment with the interest thereon and the costs of sale.

Dated, December 14th, 1889.
GEORGE C. BABCOCK. Sheriff of Rock Co., Wis.
dec14d7w

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT, ROCK COUNTY In the matter of the assignment of Orlando P. Brunson, debtor, to Sylvester House assignee. To all creditors of Orlando P. Brunson:

You are hereby notified that on the 21st day of January, A. D., 1890, Orlando P. Brunson, of the city of Janesville, County of Rock, State of Wisconsin, made, executed and delivered to me a voluntary assignment of all his property for the benefit of his creditors; that my postoffice address is at the city of Beloit, in the County of Rock, and State of Wiscon in; and you are further notified that every creditor of said Orlando P. Brunson, assignor, is required to file within three months, with myself as assignee, or with Emmett D. McGowan, the Clerk of the Circuit Court, of Rock County aforesaid, whose post office address is at the city of Janesville, in said county and state, on pain of being debarred a dividend, an affidavit setting forth his name, residence and post office address, the nature, consideration, and amount of his debt, claimed by him, over and above all offsets

Dated, at Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin, this 29th day of January, A. D. 1890.
SYLVESTER HOUSE. Assignee.
jan29d4w

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE—Pursuant to an order of the County Court for Rock county Wisconsin, made on the 28th day of January, A. D., 1890, as administrator of the estate of R. J Rooney, deceased, I shall offer for sale and sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at my store, No. 18 Main Street, in the city of Janesville, in Rock county, Wisconsin, on the 10th day of February A. D., 1890, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day all of the uncollected notes and accounts owned by said Rooney, at the time of his death. Said notes and a list of said accounts together with the books of account of said deceased can be seen at the above store of the undersigned on any day up to said sale.—Dated Janesville, Wis., January 28th, 1890.
j29d10 W. T. VANKIRK, Administrator.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville in said county, on the first Tuesday being the 4th day of February, 1890, at nine o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The petition of Frederick M. Marzluff, for administration of the estate of Michael J. Cadigan, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.—Dated, January 13, 1890.
By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.
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STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county on the first Tuesday being the 4th day of February, 1890, at nine o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The petition of Carrie M. Langworthy for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Fred B. Langworthy, late of the town of Fulton, in said county, deceased.—Dated, January 11, 1890.
By the Court: J. W. SALE, County Judge.
jan11w3w

CIRCUIT COURT, ROCK COUNTY.—Hattie Overkirk, plaintiff; vs Quincy Overkirk, defendant.

The State of Wisconsin to the said defendant: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of you failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is herewith served upon you.
DUNWIDDIE & GOLDIN, Plaintiff's attorneys.
P. O. Address Janesville Rock county, Wis.
jan25d7w

STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 18th day of February 1890, at 9 o'clock, a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The petition of Elizabeth Butler for the appointment of Joshua A. Hoskins as administrator of the estate of Alfred Hoskins, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased—Dated, January 24th, 1890.
By the Court J. W. SALE, County Judge.
jan25d3w

STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT, FOR ROCK COUNTY—In probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the Court House, in the City of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the 4th day of March, 1890, at 9 o'clock a. m. the following matter will be heard and considered:

The petition of Archie Reid for the adjustment and allowance of his account as administrator of the estate of David Smith late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased and for the assignment of the residue to such persons as are by law entitled thereto.—Dated, Jan. 23, 1890. By the court,
jan24d3w J. W. SALE, County Judge.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In probate.

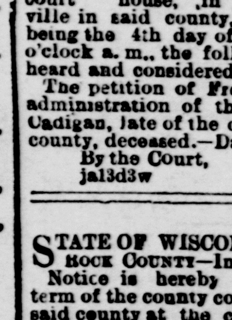
Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county on the third Tuesday, being the 18th day of February, 1890, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered

The petition of Nellie J. Johnson Snorud for the appointment of Erick O. Overstrud as administrator of the estate of John P. Johnson Snorud, late of the town of Plymouth, in said county deceased—Dated, January 23, 1890.
By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge
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STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third, Tuesday being the 18th day of February, 1889, at nine o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The petition of Almerine M. Carter for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Mary S. Newhall, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.—Dated, January 28th, 1890.
By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.
WILSON LANE Petitioners attorney. jan28d3w



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Take advantage of the low prices at F W. Christman's C. O. D. Store, 11 and 13 River St.

All who wish to order costumes of Spoon & Snyder for the N. O. W. masquerade, please call at the store and leave orders before 9 o'clock, Saturday morning Feb. 8.

C L O A K S — It will pay you to get our prices.
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The barber, employs none but first class workmen, has the largest shop in the city with good bath rooms attached. Call and see him, Phœbus block, West Milwaukee street, Janesville, Wis.

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On the 10c. counter at Wheelock's: Chamois window cleaners, hammers, six kinds egg beaters, tracing wheels purses, monkey wrenches, egg boilers

LOOK—At those choice lots in the first ward for sale by D. CONGER.

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GEORGE MCKEY.

A few more diaries for 1890 for sale cheap at Sutherland's book-store.

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After you have made a tour of the market call at T. J. Zeigler's for bargain in clothing.

Advice to Mothers.
MRS WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. 25c a bottle.

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BRIEFLETS.

The Monroe water works will be officially tested to-morrow.

The Fortnightly club will meet with Mrs. Wm. Smith next Thursday evening instead of Friday.

Wisconsin Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F., occupy Odd Fellows' hall this evening—regular weekly meeting.

Spectators will be allowed in the gallery at the N. O. W. masquerade February 11th. Tickets 25 cents.

February 11th is the date of the N. O. W. Club masquerade. Those holding invitations can procure tickets at the jewelry store of S. C. Burnham & Co.

Washington Camp No. 1, Patriotic Sons of America, assemble in regular weekly meeting this evening—lodge room in the Judd block, North Main street.

The subject of Dr. King's lecture Friday evening will be the Seat of the Faculties. The special study which Dr. King has given to the mind and to mental phenomena and conditions will enable him to give us a thoughtful and instructive talk.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Fire Police held last evening, Mr. James A. Fathers sent in his resignation as a member of that company, which was accepted. The company considered the question of placing a couple of light ladders on their wagon for use in case of necessity in the outlying district, but came to no definite action.

PERSONAL.

Milo M. Thayer left for Whitewater on business this morning.

W. H. H. Macloon is transacting business in Milwaukee to-day.

Mr. James Helms, who has been very sick for some weeks past, is improving.

Mr. Alex McAlpin, who has been very sick for some time past, is improuing.

Prof. Bates, leader and director of the Bower City Band, went to Evansville on business to-day.

Mr. Harry Ruger, who is attending Beloit college, is visiting his uncle, Mr. J. T. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wood have been called to Chicago by the illness of Mrs. Wood's sister, Mrs. W. R. Eaton.

Mrs. Beswick left this morning for Madison for a few days visit with her son, Mr. Frank Beswick of that city.

Charles E. Wheelock, wife and two children, left for their home in Peoria, Ill., after a few days visit in this city.

Messrs. W. R. Gordon, E. G. Richards, C. C. Green, and W. S. Yost, of Beloit, took in the masquerade last night.

Mr. How. S. Salisbury, of the Whitewater Register, was in the city this forenoon, and made the Gazette a pleasant visit.

The Rev. H. Stone Richardson, of Oshkosh, formerly pastor of Court Street M. E. church, this city, has been appointed money-order clerk in the Oshkosh postoffice.

Miss McMillan, who has been the guest of Miss Richardson, No. 107 Prospect avenue, for the past two weeks, returned to her home in Malone, N. Y., yesterday.

H. J. Cunningham, advance agent of George Kennan, manager of the Beloit Base Ball Club, and also manager of the senior concert next June, is in the city making arrangements for the appearance of George Kennan in that city February 8th.

Mr. Mark Ripley, who has been visiting for the past month at Mankato, Minnesota, and Emporia, Kansas, left the latter place last Saturday for Alberquerque, New Mexico, where he expects to spend the winter. If his health improves he will return to Janesville in the spring.

THE CINCH CLUB.

They Enjoy a Very Pleasant Meeting with Miss Lou Nichols.

Miss Lou Nichols entertained the Cinch Club last evening at her home, No. 16, Milton avenue. About twenty members of the club were present, and all had a "perfectly lovely" time. Refreshments were served, and after the prizes had been awarded, the company spent the time until midnight in dancing. The gentlemen prize was captured by Mr. George R. Allen, while Miss Nan Moulter carried off the lady prize. Next week the club will meet with Miss Mary Richardson, No. 353 Court street.

THE WEATHER.

Colder, Northwesterly Winds; Fair Weather in Southwest Portion.

At seven o'clock this morning the thermometer indicated 24 degrees above zero. Cloudy with northwest wind. At one o'clock p. m. the register was 29 degrees above zero. Partly cloudy with north wind. For the corresponding hours one year ago the register was 6 degrees below and 1 degree above zero.

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT.

A Pleasing Literary and Musical Programme Presented.

A delightful literary and musical entertainment was given at the Sunday school room of the Court Street M. E church, by the Epworth League, last evening. A fine programme had been provided and was most successfully carried out. All pronounce it an evening of rare enjoyment.

A SOCIAL DANCE

Will be Given this Evening by Oriental Lodge No. 22, K. P.

The members of Oriental Lodge No. 22, Knights of Pythias, will give one of their delightful social parties for members of the order and their families at Castle hall this evening. Smith & Anderson's orchestra will furnish the music.

Laprairie Grange
Will hold their regular meeting in their hall on Saturday, Feb. 8th at 7:30 p. m. Let there be a full attendance.
F. W. DAY, Sec'y.

FOR RENT.—House No. 205 Division street, near high school, WM. ROSS.

Law and Poetry.

The lawyer with poetic gems
His pocket reimburses,
For almost every case he brings
Has more or less of *versus*.

It isn't strange that men of law
Should rhythmic words admire.
For ages past has poesy
Been wedded to the *lyre*.

MASKS AND QUEER GARB.

Sights That Awaited the Throng at Concordia Hall last Evening.

EVERY BODY DANCED AND HELPED ALONG THE FUN.

Quadrilles That Looked Like Nightmares, Waltzes that Savored of Crazy Quilts.

From Concordia hall, in Mitchell's block, there issued sounds last evening that were unmistakable. They were holding their twenty-second annual masquerade ball. Between one hundred and fifty and two hundred maskers were on the floor besides nearly that number of spectators. The hall was far too small to accommodate the crowd of participants who were present. At half past seven the maskers began to arrive. A large crowd stood outside on Milwaukee street to see them come. A number of small boys were also present armed with onions, potatoes, and other fruit with which to pelt the people in costume. By half past nine the ball was crowded with maskers and spectators. There was hardly room to stir and dancing was an exceedingly uncomfortable occupation. Hot! Holy smoke, the masks melted off and coons wandered around with half of their faces white. Indians and Mexicans and all nationalities were represented with broken noses, caved in cheeks and extraordinary shaped mouths. The gallery that formerly occupied the east end of the hall had been taken down and tiers of seats built on both sides of the orchestra. These were packed full and people standing up all over. Chairs were at a premium. Anybody who got a chair to stand on and could get their back against the wall was in great luck. The costumes were of all kinds. From expensive suits of silk embroidered with gold, to a common linen duster and a plug hat. Fred Vankirk was there with only a mask over his face and dressed like McGinty, in his best suit of clothes. French men, Irish policemen, Indians, scissors grinders, Mexicans, Dutch men, and of course coons, whispered soft things into the ears of flower girls, goddesses and Scotch lassies. It was a jolly crowd. At half-past eleven the grand march was called on. It was intended that it should be called at twelve, but it was plainly to be seen that if they waited another hour, there would be no masks left. There was hardly room to march, and the fancy figures that were usually gone through with had to be discontinued. When they unmasked there were plenty of surprises. Young ladies in short dresses and bare arms with whom a coon, or a soldier, or a sailor had been having lots of fun, turned out to be a man, and all would have to have a glass of beer on the strength of it. Barnum's white elephant was there. He was suspiciously small for an elephant, and examination proved him to be composed of two young men—Lou Collins and Tom Luck. Tom Luck while not acting as the hind quarters of the elephant sported around as a colored woman. Everybody was there, and everybody had a good time. Smith & Anderson furnished the music.

The only disadvantage of the whole evening was the small size of the hall, the floor managers having to do double duty to form the sets and keep the crowd back. The floor committee consisted of Will J. Lennartz, Chas. Wisb, Herman Zarska and William Funk.

MUNICIPAL COURT.

To-Day's Business Before Judge Patterson.

Yesterday afternoon, in the municipal court, Judge Patterson decided that Ira Crandall should be bound over for trial on the 17th of February. Crandall, who resides near Koshkonong, is charged with obtaining three horses from Fred Langholf, under false pretences. Bail was fixed at the sum of five hundred dollars, and Crandall was allowed to go; A. O. Vincent and J. W. Green going his bond.

A drunk, who resides at Hanover, was also up before the judge, but was allowed to go on conditions that he get back to his native city as soon as possible.

The action of Leonard McCrea against John Kline, of Beloit, was also begun. McCrea in his complaint alleges that on the 21st of January, the defendant assaulded him, knocking out two of his teeth and cutting a gash over his eye, requiring the attendance of a physician and dentist. He sued for five hundred dollars damage.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Of District No. 4, of the Towns of La. Prairie Bradford, Turtle and Clinton.

The following is the report of examination of the first half of winter term, commencing December 21, 1889, and ending January 31st, 1890:

Cora Eddy, arithmetic 70. geography 98; Mabel Eddy, arithmetic 100, geography 68, spelling 96, language 100; Loie Gilbert, spelling 92, arithmetic 100, geography 100; Lovell Gilbert, spelling 96, arithmetic 100, geography 98, language 90; Otto Halm, spelling 96, arithmetic 72, geography 95; Robert Halm, spelling 100, arithmetic 100, geography 98, language 90; Martha Halm, arithmetic 90, geography 100; Walter Halm, arithmetic 100, language 100, con. 100, geography 99; Carrie Milner, spelling 96, arithmetic 95, language 100, geography 80; Ethel Kemmerer, spelling 84, arithmetic 93, geography 93; George Kemmerer, spelling 88, arithmetic 92, geography 93; George Pope, spelling 96, arithmetic 100, geography 95; Mary Pope, spelling 100, arithmetic 100, geography 86, language 96.
EDITH DAY, Teacher.

Physicians recommend Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, when all other medicines fail, as a certain cure for bronchitis, sore throat, and coughs or colds of long standing. For sale by all druggists. 25 cents.

"For there was never yet a philosopher, that could endure the toothache patiently." Perhaps not—but there's little wit in enduring it at all when one bottle of Salvation Oil will cure it.

A Good Thing.
Street Commissioner Brown has made a needed improvement in the shape of a new block cross walk at the corner of Court and Park streets.

FAIR ARRANGEMENTS.

The Directors of The County Fair Association at Work.

The directors of the Rock county fair met at Secretary Heimstreet's office yesterday to make arrangements for the fair of 1890, which will be held September 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th. The premium list was taken up and referred to committees who will make a complete revision of it, adding new classes and enlarging it in many ways.

One thousand dollars was appropriated for races.

A prize of $10 and $5 will be given for the best half acre of potatoes raised in Rock county.

It was decided if possible to have the water works put in immediately, and a large fountain in the center of the grounds with plenty of water tanks through the grounds.

The new officers and committees have taken hold of this work in good earnest, and the prospects were never better for a successful fair than this year.

The premium list has been referred to the following committees.—

Horse Department.—C. C. Fisher, Geo. Barker, S. C. VanGalder.

Cattle, Sheep and Hogs—Geo. Hanthorn, S. C. Carr, E. Wixom.

Machinery and Vehicles—S. L. James.

Horticultural, Domestic, Art, etc., was left at the secretary's office for revision, and it is requested that any person interested in any of the above departments or who can suggest any improvements, would confer with the committees. The ladies, especially, interested in domestic or fine arts, are requested to call at Heimstreet's drugstore and suggest any changes in those departments.

The speed list was put in the hands of Messrs. J. E. Gleason, E. Wixom, and C. C. Fisher.

The next meeting of the board will be held Tuesday, February 18, at ten o'clock a. m., at which time the premium list will be adopted, and full arrangements made for the fair.

OBITUARIES AND FUNERALS.

Mrs. Ann Pitcher.

Died—at her home, No. 158 Prospect avenue, at a quarter to eight, last evening, Mrs. Ann Pitcher, wife of Mr. John Pitcher, aged sixty-four years.

Mrs. Pitcher was born at Spaulding Lincolnshire county, England, October 15, 1826. She was married to Mr. Fitcher at Spaulding, February 25th, 1848. Together they emigrated to America in March of the same year, and settled in Oswego, N. Y., where they remained until 1865, when they removed to this state, first residing in Dane county, then in the town of Janesville, and ten years ago removed to this city, which has since been their home. Mrs. Pitcher was a firm believer in the Episcopal faith and a constant attendant of that church. She was a lady of many good qualities and her death will be mourned by neighbors and friends for whom she was always ready to do some service.

Mrs. Pitcher had been an invalid for two years, being a sufferer with a severe stomach difficulty. Last spring she had a dangerous attack from which she only partially recovered. Last Sunday she was taken with a severe chill and had two more on Monday. The last one occurred in the evening and was very severe from which she never recovered, death coming to her relief as stated above. Beside a husband she leaves three children, one daughter, and two sons—Mr. George Pitcher and Miss Anna Pitcher of this city, and Mr. John Pitcher, of the town of Harmony.

The funeral will be held from the late residence to-morrow afternoon 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Myrette H. Pierce.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Myrette High Pierce was held from the residence on the Afton road this afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. C. F. Elliott officiating. The song service was rendered by a quartette consisting of Mrs. C. B. Conrad, Mrs, J. W. St. John, Mr. C. N. Vankirk and Mr. Clarence L, Clark. The pall bearers were Messrs. Wm. Smith; O. D. Rowe, W. F. Carle, James P. Sayre, I. C. Brownell and Henry Crane. The attendance was very large. At the close of the service the remains were taken to Oak Hill cemetery for interment.

NO SECRETARY CHOSEN.

Chairman Wall Undecided as to Who Will Be Secretary of the Committee.

Milwaukee Journal: "Is the report true that Clarence Clark, of the Janesville Recorder, has been offered the secretaryship of the democratic state central committee?" was asked of Chairman Wall, to-day. "The story is entirely unfounded" replied the chairman. "I cannot even venture a guess yet as to who will be secretary."

Harry Fanning's Lucky Investment.

Harry Fanning, who cleared $15,000 on an investment of $1 a little over a month ago in the Louisiana State Lottery, is attending to his business as strictly as ever, and instead of squandering the money which came so easily is going to use it to good purpose. He kept the matter to himself and told no one of his great good fortune, but quietly sent his coupon forward for collection by Wells, Fargo & Co., and in less than ten days he had his money counted out to him over their counter in bright $20 pieces.—*Stockton (Cal.) Independent* December 15.

Ring Him Up.
Manager Richardson of the telephone exchange, has put in a 'phone in Mr. A. C. Munger's grocery, No. 36 South Main street.

The Ladies' Aid Society.
The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church are holding their annual meeting this afternoon. Supper will be served at six after which their will be a social. All are invited.

A Valuable Horse Sold.
Dan. Ryan, the Main street liveryman, has sold a valuable horse to a business man in Chicago. The horse was shipped this morning.

Salt Rheum
With its intense itching, dry, hot skin, often broken into painful cracks, and the little watery pimples, often causes indescribable suffering, Hood's Sarsaparilla has wonderful power over this disease. It purifies the blood and expels the humor, and the skin heals without a scar. Send for book containing many statements of cures, to C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

BITS OF COUNTY TALK.

Rural Chow Chow From Many Sources, Garnered for the Gazette.

WHAT IS TOLD OF BY JANESVILLE'S NEIGHBORS.

Pointed Personal Paragraphs Seasoned With Newsy Notes on Late Local Events.

HANOVER.

A Handsome Cactus—Personal and News Items.

Mrs. Anna Beeman is sick with pneumonia, but is somewhat better at present.

Miss Alpha Ostrander can tell you all about la grippe; she now is slowly recovering.

Thos. Vanalstine is hauling hogs to market to-day; $3.80 is the price he receives for his porkers.

Mr. Matthew Gandell is confined to his home, and is not able to be about. Hopes are for his speedy recovery.

Mr. Wm. Detmer returned to this berg last Friday from Fond du Lac. where he was engaged in laundry business.

Dean & Boskenhagen have a new wood saw; and the way they will saw your wood, will make you think buck saw is nowhere.

"No place like home"; so Thos. Huggins thinks after returning to this place from the Wisconsin Central railroad, where he has been engaged.

Mrs. Sarah Ostrander has a Christmas or spider cactus in blossom and it's a dandy. There are now 60 blossoms and buds on it. Come and take a look. She also has a cochineal cactus that reaches from floor to ceiling.

FAIRFIELD.

Local Gatherings—Creamery Established—Personals.

Mr. Backus, a real estate agent, of Whitewater, did business in this place last week.

Most of the sick are slowly improving, except Mrs. Loomer, who is quite ill at the present writing.

There will be a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Dykeman on Wednesday evening, of this week.

Albert Cook and son Floris, of Marshall, Minnesota, are calling on Wisconsin friends.

The young People's Literary Society of Bradford Center, will give a social at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Inman on Thursday evening, February 13th; proceeds to apply on rent of organ. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

We are glad to note that Messrs. Conley and Conry, of the Summerville factory, have received sufficient encouragement from the dairymen of this vicinity to induce them to establish a creamery at this place. They are reliable men and we trust the enterprise may prove a success. We say more cows and less twenty cent barley for us.

Our faithful mail carrier has been obliged to lay off for the past week on account of la grippe.

MILTON JUNCTION.

Death of an Old Settler—Suffering With La Grippe—Personals.

E. E. Frink and family spent Sunday at L. K. Peck's.

S. C. Chambers left Monday to visit friends at his old home in York state.

Miss Esther Flyte, of Stoughton, visited at G. K. Butts the first of the week.

W. O. Burdick, formerly a resident of this village, now of Tiffany, Ohio, is in town visiting friends.

A. L. Bradford, of Charles City, Iowa, on his way to New York to buy goods, stopped off here to see his old employer G. H. Button.

The officers of the I. O. O. F. Building Association held a business meeting Monday evening at F. Brandt's shoe shop.

John Sailor is fixing up a billiard room in Lex Jones' building in connection with a reading room, which will be soon ready for the public.

Henry Williams, Art Williams and Silas Baker sold their tobacco crops to Pomeroy & Pelton, of Edgerton, last week—2½ to 7 cents.

Those now very sick in town are: Mrs. I. W. Babcock, Mrs. D. G. Partridge, and Mrs. Liman Richardson—all from the effects of la grippe. Mrs. J P. Butts is not doing very well, but the baby is getting along nicely.

Died, at Clear Lake, Iowa, February 2, 1890—Mr. Stephen Decatur Butts. His remains will be brought here Thursday, February 6th, for interment in the Junction cemetery. Mr. Butts was one of the first settlers in Milton, and plowed the first furrow that was turned in this township. He came here in '36 and located near where this village now is. He sold his place here to his son, George H. Butts and went to Clear Lake, Iowa, some three years ago to reside. His wife and daughter Hattie are both unable to accompany his remains.

MILTON.

Change in Business—The Sick Convalescent—Personal and News Items.

Dr. Crandall, who has been confined to her house for a week, is able to visit her patients again.

The firm of Place & Burdick have dissolved partnership and the business will be carried on by Place.

The weather this week is not just the thing for our ice crop and the roads are becoming almost useless.

There have been a good many on the sick list during the past week, but so far as we can learn they are all convalescent.

Pomeroy & Pelton, of Edgerton, received two car loads of tobacco at this station Saturday. Most of it came from Rock Prairie.

Major E. M. Hamilton left for New York City Friday, his father having made considerable improvement in health.

R. Home sold five head of Polled-Angus cattle last week to Fifield Bros., of Janesville, who will ship them to their ranch in Kansas.

Mrs. S. L. Elmer and daughter, of Montana, who have been visiting friends here for some weeks, returned to their western home Tuesday.

Gardner Saunders and wife returned from their California trip last Monday. They spent twelve days in the snow drifts on the Central Pacific, and finally returned via the Santa Fe route.

Frank Reed, the Walworth druggist, was in the village Thursday, visiting W. P. Clarke and other friends. Mr. D. J. Maxon, of the firm of Maxon & Archer, Chicago commission merchants, accompanied Mr. Reed to visit acquaintances here.

Mr. Green has sold his lumber and coal business to T. A. Saunders, who takes possession at once. We are sorry that Mr. Green is going out of business, but wish his successor prosperity. We understand that Mr. Green will devote his time to manufacturing the punch and shear machine, patented by E. S. Babcock, in which he owns an interest.

TAKE CARE OF YOUR EYES
Dr. B MINCER, the eminent optician of Detroit, Mich, will visit every town in this county during the winter. Anyone suffering with weak eyes, or eyes abused by inferior glasses, should not fail to see him. Orders left at the post-office will be promptly attended to. No extra charge for examing or visiting patients at their homes.

Letter impression books cheap at Sutherland's book-store.

NORTH JOHNSTOWN.

The Sick Ones—Obituary—Pleasant Surprise—Personal Mention.

Mrs. T. Rice and Mrs. Rice Roe are on the sick list. Dr. Bagley, of Whitewater, is caring for them.

Mrs. Annie Loomis, sister of Mrs. Roe, is better, with hopes of her getting up again.

Mrs. Webber is lying very low with la grippe at the home of her parents in Milton where she was visiting.

Mrs. Bingham and Mr. E. Bullock are also among the sick ones.

Mr. and Mrs. Bevens, of Milton Junction, visited their son, Mr. O. W. Bevens, last week.

The weather seems to be unfavorable for our mission work, as the meeting had to be postponed again last Sabbath evening, on account of the storm.

Miss Carrie Johnson returned to her home last Thursday, after spending three weeks very pleasantly with old-time friends at Rutland and Stoughton.

Mr. Elizah Barker was quite badly hurt one day last week, as he was on his way to the factory, by his team becoming unmanageable, throwing him out of the wagon, and a large can of milk falling across one of his limbs, which in all probability will lay him up for some time.

On the evening of Jan. 31, about forty of the old neighbors and friends gathered at the home of Mr. T. Griggs for a surprise before they took their departure to their new home in Spencer, Iowa. After spending the evening in social conversation and just before the company departed a nice plush chair was brought into the room and the Rev. W. Brown stepped forward and in behalf of the friends presented a chair to Mrs. Griggs, who in turn thanked the friends for their kindness and the gift which will go with them to their new home as a token of remembrance from old time friends.

Message came over the wires on the morning of January 27th. from Spencer, Iowa, to Mr. Clark Harris, bringing the sad news of the death of his only brother, who died that morning of la grippe. Mr. Franklin Harris was born in the town of Lima, January 22d, 1852. In his early life he gave his heart to God, and became a member of the Free Baptist church of this place, living an earnest christian life. The bereaved wife and two small children and aged mother are left to mourn his death. They have the sympathy of the entire community in this hour of sorrow.

EMERALD GROVE.

Sick People Improving—Social Gatherings—Personal Mention.

Buy your fresh baked crackers at Gillies & Jones.

Owing to the sickness of Rev. D. R. Grover last Sunday, it was necessary to postpone his lecture, "A Personal Devil," until some future time, when due notice will be given.

It gives us pleasure to report the improved condition of Mrs. James Piatz, who has been confined to her bed with pneumonia.

Our butcher, J. H. Case, has his ice house ready to fill; all that's lacking is the ice.

Mr. John Beesley was in this berg last week. He is now living in Chicago, working at his trade.

Their is no question in regard to the condition of the roads now-a-days. When it's warm the mud is knee deep and when it freezes up they are mighty rough and stout.

On account of the sickness of A. H. Stoker our mail has been carried for the past week by his son "Andy Jr." and Mr. A. Baldwin.

As Candlemas Day, Sunday, Feb. 2d, proved a sure indicator of an extra early spring, we must prepare ourselves to meet almost any day the fellow who sees the first robin.

Our sick list at present from la grippe is nearly as long as Chicago's subscription to the world's fair. Every day new cases are counted by the half dozen. The majority of cases are of a mild nature but occasionally it grips very tight.

Miss Jessie H. Jones returned from Doland, Dakota, last week, where she has been for the past three months.

On Thursday evening, February 13, a five cent social will be held at the residence of Mr. Levi Inman, for the benefit of the Bradford Center Home Literary Society. A programme will be rendered and everyone is invited to be present.

TO GET RELIEF FROM INDIGESTION, biliousness, constipation or torpid liver without disturbing the stomach or purging the bowels, take a few dose of Carter's Liver Pills, they will please you.

INDIANA'S CATHOLIC COLLEGE.

To Cost $100,000 and to Be Ready for Occupancy June 1, 1891.

RENSSELAER, Ind., Feb. 5.—The contract for the building of the Catholic college at Rensselaer has been let to Mitland & Gleitze, of Logansport, and is to be under roof by Jan. 1 next and completed and ready for occupancy by June 1, 1891. It will be of brick and stone, and will cost exclusive of furnishing about $40,000. It will be used for the purpose of educating young Catholics for the priesthood, and will be one of the largest institutions of the kind in the country. It will be situated on the grounds adjoining the Indian school erected by the Drexel sisters, of Philadelphia.

ELECTRICAL NOTES.

A late report shows eighty-five electric railways completed or in course of construction in the United States.

The opacity of steam issuing from a nozzle is greatly increased by bringing electrified points near it, and its color is changed to orange brown.

An official return shows that in the year 1888 the time occupied in passing through the Suez canal by vessels not using the electric light was 37 hours 57 minutes on the average, whereas the average time occupied by vessels using the electric light, and thus being able to navigate the canal by night, was 22 hours 32 minutes.

Electricity is being adopted to a very large extent in Sweden and Norway. In Christiania the question of an electric tramway is being discussed. A committee appointed to inspect the various countries has reported that electric tramways are both the safest and the cheapest, and the result is that extensive schemes for electrical tramway installations are being developed.

The big guns turned out by the English arsenals are now fitted up with a device to facilitate firing at night. The ordinary sights are illuminated by a small incandescent lamp, the rays from which, passing through a lens, are converged, so that only a minute point or line of sight, just sufficient to distinguish the sight, is obtained. By means of an adjustable resistance the light can be modulated to suit the degree of darkness of the night or the eye of the observer.

FIVE-SCORE YEARS OLD.

Dinah Ellis, a negress of Boone county, Missouri, claims to be 136.

Lorenzo D. Carter, the oldest man in Warren, Me., is dead. He was 101 years of age.

Ellis Wilcox, the oldest resident of Sangamon county, Illinois, died recently, aged 101 years.

Mrs. Amos Adams of Joliet, Ill., is 98 years old and hale, though blind. Knitting is her delight.

Frederick William Drought, a native of Ireland, died recently at Kansas City, Kan., at the age of 101.

John Grant, who was born in Maine in 1780 and was one of the first settlers of Kansas, died recently at Delphos, Kan.

Mrs. Elizabeth Price of Normal, Ill., is 99 and as merry as a cricket. She is a native of Chester county, Pennsylvania.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

The late dowager Empress of Germany left a fortune of 7,000,000 marks.

Belva A. Lockwood has announced that she will again run for President in 1892.

A son of President Dwight of Yale is said to know more Latin and Greek than his father.

The late Dr. Charles Mackay, of England, was a bitter opponent of the North during our late civil war.

The only Territorial delegate in Congress who was born in his own Territory is Antonio Joseph of New Mexico.

Rider Haggard has abandoned his tour in Persia on account of the cholera outbreak, and will visit Athens instead.

Boston is already reckoning on having the President attend the Grand Army of the Republic reunion there in August.

Alphonso Daudet contemplates a trip to this country. Daudet has a large clientele in this country and would be warmly welcomed.

The oldest Democratic member of the House of Representatives is General Francis B. Spinola of New York. He is sixty-eight years of age.

The Pope has changed his habits. He now devotes the time between half-past 5 and 10 at night to the ardent perusal of newspapers of all nations.

Meissionier, the famous artist, has lost his ambition since his recent marriage. He paints only at intervals and spends a great deal of time smoking, reading, and musing.

James Jeffrey Roche of the Boston Pilot, has been elected president of the Papyrus club of Boston Mr. Roche has been secretary of that organization for five successive years.

Jacob H. Schiff, of New York, has just made a gift of $10,000 to Harvard University for the establishment of a museum for the study of the literature, history and remains of the Semitic peoples.

Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British minister at Washington, is studying American literature. Until he left England he paid little attention to our men of letters, but now he is going over the ground thoroughly.

The two confirmed bachelors of the diplomatic corps at Washington are the French minister, M. Theodore Koustan, and the Chevalier von Tavera, the Austrian minister. M. Roustan is fond of society, but Von Tavera is a recluse.

Rev. John Jasper, of Richmond, Va., has delivered his celebrated sermon "De Sun Do Move" 175 times. Mr. Jasper was born a slave in Virginia. In 1840 he began to preach. He soon became famous, and his master received $1 per day from those who engaged Jasper as a preacher. At the end of the war Jasper owned 73 cents, and was in debt $12. He is now worth several thousand dollars.

Archdeacon Farrar, when delivering the prizes to the successful boys of the United Westminster Endowed Schools, referred to the teaching of the life of Robert Browning, whom he had the honor of knowing. Browning, he said, believed in the soul, and was very sure of God. The most remarkable lesson his life taught was that ever in life's deepest tragedies and apparent failures he believed in hope.

The Prince of Wales has been forced greatly to abate his smoking, for the gastritis with which he has been threatened was doubtless partly due to the excessive use of cigarettes and also of those immense cigars in which he used to delight, and which are as full-flavored as they are large. That he should cease smoking altogether is the desire of his medical advisers, and doubtless it will come to that eventually, but Albert Edwaad could not bring himself to drop the habit altogether and at once, so he is weaning himself from it by degrees.

King Humbert has a great predilection for going out in wet weather. As soon as the rain appears he orders his horse and off he sets with one of his aide-de-camp. The other day there was a perfect deluge, so the Queen, thinking to do a kind action, sent a close carriage to meet her husband, but the King, as soon as he perceived the carriage, gave a disdainful look and spurred his horse on to the Quirinal, to the astonishment of the poor grooms, who had opened the carriage ready for the King. The public who witnessed this scene cheered King Humbert heartily.

FIELD OF FEMININE ACTIVITY.

Fourteen of Iowa's county school superintendents are now women. All these are elected for a term which does not expire until 1892. Four of them are hold-overs from former terms.

An associated charities organization has been formed in Richmond, Ind., for the systematic relief of the poor of that city. The organization, which is composed entirely of women, has elected Mrs. Dr. Harold president and Miss Anna M. Starr secretary.

It seems that the women of Italy are following in the lead of the women of America and England. A society "for mutual assistance among women in Rome" has been started. It is named Adelaide Carroll, after the patriotic woman who made such great sacrifices for the independence of her beloved Italy.

There are now eighteen women physicians in Detroit, all engaged in active practice. Eleven of them studied medicine at the University of Michigan, the rest coming from other States. Among the group are Dr. Harriet A. Gerry, the first woman who practiced in the State, and Dr. Lucy M. Arnold, the first woman physician to hang out her shingle in Detroit.

The Women's University club is a new organization in New York city, to which none but graduates from the standard colleges are to be admitted. The objects are social, literary, and educational. A large room in Barnard college will serve for the present as library and club room, though the club expects to possess quarters of its own in the near future. About twenty-five members are enrolled, Miss Helen Dawes Brown acting as psesident.

Through the columns of a British review, Miss Clemtinin Black, the English writer, has been championing the cause of the oppressed working-women of England. Miss Black thinks that the trouble can only be relieved by the organization of trades unions and protective societies among women workers. She shows on what small sums factory girls are forced to exist and urges cooperation as the remedy rather than charity, which helps some at the expense of all.

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SCRAPS OF FRENCH WISDOM.

De Musset: Truth is the skeleton of appearances.

Choiseul: Nature makes fools—women coxcombs.

Karr: One slanders apples when one has no teeth.

Doubay: The friends of our friends are our friends.

Tucis: Happiness is but an unhappiness consoled.

Mouselet: Resignation—a virgin with golden tears.

Rousseau: The good is but the beautiful in action.

Mme. Necker: Love—the greatest of compliments.

Chamfort: An indiscreet man is an unsealed letter.

Vauvenargue: Truth is the sun of the intelligence.

Desnoyers: Audacity of thought is seldom forgiven.

Victor Hugo: Creation lives—man is but a witness.

Bonnard: Silence—A fool's wit, a wise man's virtue.

Helvetius: Virtue has many preachers, few martyrs.

Jouy: Instinct has a lucidness that surpasses reason.

Gresset: Love places a genius and a fool on a level.

Lamartine: Barbarism may be excess of civilization.

Rochepedre: Laughter—the knell of a dead illusion.

Provencal: Respect white hair—especially your own.

Depuy: Duty inflames warriors, cools married people.

Soulary: What the hand cannot reach is but a dream.

Mme. Epinay: The profession of woman is very hard.

Segur: Bravery escapes more dangers than cowardice.

Bovgeart: We seldom confide a secret—it escapes us.

Lamartine: The most effective coquetry is innocence.

Lamennais: Curses of men bring blessings of heaven.

Dussaulx: Temperance—inability to eat or drink much.

Karr: Friends—those who love us and those who hate us.

Gautier: Sleep, next to death, is the best thing in life.

Dufresnoy: Melancholy is the convalescence of sorrow.

Bossuet: Heart has reasons reason can not understand.

Segur—Revenge—bitter sweets from the devil's garden.

Malesherbes: He who reckons ten friends has not one.

De Lenclos: Beauty without grace is a hook without bait.

Necker: Fortune does not change men; it unmasks them.

Swetchine: Attention is a tacit and continual compliment.

De Finod: Grief counts seconds; happiness forgets hours.

Columbat: Young saint old devil; young devil old saint.

Poincelot: Love makes time pass—time makes love pass.

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